JEFFRIES AND JOHNSON WILL BE SIGNED SOON

McIntosh Is Pleased With the Outlook After Talking It Over With the Negro Champion-Australian Pictures Hissed in Chicago.

CHICAGO, March 22.—Jim Jeffries and Jack Johnson are likely to be signed for the heavyweight the within two days. Promoter Hugh McIntosh, of Australia, will return to New York to-morrow, and is condent that when he returns to this city three days hence he will bring Jeffrie signature.

"Johnson agreed to terms instantly," said McIntosh. "He is willing to box for a \$50,009 purse, to be divided 60 and 40 per cent. to winner and loser. He does not care where the bout takes place, and is willing to post a forfeit of \$5,009. Sporting men in the district of the city where Johnson was formerly known have told me they are willing to put a side bet of \$10,000 in case Jeffries so desires.

"Jeffries is in far better trim than the public imagine. I watched him skipping the rope when I was in New York, and he kept it up at a rate no boxer who was not in fair shape could do. This talk about \$125,000 purses may have made him hold off. Coffroth wants the match, but where will of hisses.

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For the cross-country horses there re the Crickmore Memorial, the Elk-idge, Green Valley, Potomac, Mount Vashington, Baltimore and Consolation. Nearly all of these races have

\$769 added to each.

For the overnight purses no sum less than \$400 will be added. In several instances this amount will be increased to \$600 or \$700.

ANOTHER ONE SENTENCED

Courts Continue to Enforce Auti-Raeing Law in Louisiana.

NEW ORLEANS, LA., March 22.—W.
W. Lyles, promoter of the City Park
race-track "test" case, was sentenced
to six months in the parlish prison and
a fine of \$350 by Tudge Baker to-day
for violation of the Locke law. Lyles's
ettorneys will carry the case to the
Supreme Court.

Lyles obtained the use of the City
Park track on the day the test of the
Leoke law was made. R. M. Sheffield
and Plaide Frigerio, charged with
making betting books on that occasion,
were tried first and sentenced to a like
term. The Supreme Court affirmed the
judgment in their cases.

SHOEMAKERS COMING IN

Baseball Scores.

At Atlanta: Atlanta (Southern), 5;
Macon (South Atlantic), 0,
At Chattanooga (Cincinnati 2; Chattanooga (South Atlantic), 2 (10 in-

At Montgomery: Philadelphia (Americans), 3: Montgomery (Southern), 2.

"Flying Dutchman" Comes In.
Once more Hans Wagner has returned to baseball, after announcing his retirement for about the tenth time, and word comes that the fans in Pittsburg are happy once more. Wagner is surely the Adelina Patti of the baseball world.

Court Renders Decision Returning Former Rights to the Latonia Association.

SHOEMAKERS COMING IN

Six More Reported for Work in Lynchhurg Yesterday.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
LYNCHBURG, Va., March 22.—Six More ball players reported to Manager Orth to-day—Wallace, of Mobile: Zeigner, of Gloucester, N. J.; Turner, of Philadelphia: Trevillian, of Ashland; Eaird, of Ohio, and Griffin, of Fork Union, coming to-day.

Latonia Association.

COVINGTON, KY., March 22.—Judge Harbeson, in Kenton County Circuit Court, to-day rendered his decision in the noted case of the Latonia Jockey Commission, holding the law establishing the commission as unconstitutional.

The effect of the decision is to place Latonia racing on its former basis.

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WASHINGTON AND LEE MAKES STATEMENT OF ITS POSITION

Does Not Desire to Criticize Virginia's Plan of Arranging Its Games, But Desires to Have Her Own-Actions Understood.

In issuing the following statement, these games there are other reasons the Athletic Association of Washing-ton and Lee University has no desire to criticize the University of Virginia's plan of arranging games: that is their own matter and one with which we have no concern. It is only to explain our own position in view of the recent article that this is written.

It is quite true that Virginia has not refused to play Washington and Lee offered to fill a date left vacant by the Virginia Military Institute, but Virginia refused to play Washington and

O'Brien All Have Matches This Week.

NEW YORK, March 22.—Packey McFarland, Leach Cross, Stanley Ketchel
and Philadelphia Jack O'Brien, who
will fight at local clubs this week,
received many visitors at their training quarters yesterday. McFarland
and Cross will box ten rounds at the
Fairmont A. C. to-morrow night, the
weight to be 135 pounds at 3 o'clock.
Although McFarland easily outpointed
Cross in a six-round bout here last
fall the latter is confident that he
can turn the tables.

Cross is bigger, stronger and faster
than ever before, and is also a much
harder litter. He will get into the
ring weighting nearly 140 pounds, and
says he will force the fight rather
than stand off and box at long range.
If he sticks to this plan the club
members will probably see a rattling
go.

The Chicago lightweight is extremeThe Chicago lightweight is extremeliv clever, but he has not established

McFarland, Cross, Ketchel and Young Phenomenon Was Too Impetuous During First Public Appearance.

MADISON SQUARE GARDEN, NEW YORK, March 22.—In the initial game of the international billiard tournament for the worid's 18.2 balk line thampionship, played in the Madison Cause Garden Concert Hall to-night, Cours Cure, of Paris, France, defeated Calvin W. Demarest, of Chicago by a score of 500 to 369. This was Denarest's first appearance in a professional tourney.

Cure played very steadily at critical limes, and made the high run of 150 in his tenth luning. Demarest was impetuous, and his recklessness and in 12. (1, and Blakemore won from Dowes, 15, to 12.)

Aunual Event of Palmette Golf Club Opens at Alken.

AIKEN, S. C., March 22,—The annual tournament of the Palmette Golf Club opened here to-day. Some excellent scores were made in the qualifying members will probably see a ratting go.

The Chicago lightweight is extremely clever, but he has not established a reputation as a knockout artist. In the content of the Southern Cross Cup, R. Watson, S. Leroy, E. A. Thompson, fact he is a comparatively light hitter, but his headwork and his natural ability are expected to win the bout for him.

Ketchel did a lot of hard work yesterday. He took a long run on the road, chopped wood, boxed and wrestled until his partners were ready to drop from exhaustion, and then weighed himself, scaling at 164 pounds, of Perrin, Baltimore, 84: N. Perrin, practically stripped. He says he Baltimore, 92; R. A. Swigert, Palmetto, 94: J. R. Tavlor, Garden City, 86; E.

PALE'S SECOND TEAM

Bernard E. Reilly Is Merely Acting as Coach for Second

Team and Assistant Coach for First Team,

Not Elected Captain.

The following from The New York, should not be allowed to captain the Tribune explains a matter that has friends of Yale consideration with the parties of the past from days. A week ago in this column I expressed surprises that in a news tien reasonable special surprise that in the new pression of the surprise of the sec Entrice in Futurity.

LEXINGTON, KY., March 22.—The threatened boycott by members of the American Association of Trotting Horse Breeders will have little or no effect on the list of entries for the Kentucky Futurity, according to the present outlook. Horace Wilson, secretary of the Kentucky Trotting Horse Breeders' Association, said to-day that 1,251 nominations to the stake had been received thus far, with California breeders yet to be heard from. He expects that the number of entries will far exceed that of last year and probably will be above 1,300. Sonator J. W. Bailey and other members of the American Horse Breeders' Association recently protested against the conditions of the race, which it to be trotted under the three in five system. They considered the three in five ordeal too severe for three-year-old coits, and requested the Kentucky Breeders' Association to make the race best two in three, but their request was refused.

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[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

NORWOOD, NELSON COUNTY, VA.,
March | 22.—Norwood High School,
played her first match game on Saturdsy afternoon, when she met the
Variety Mills and Arrington boys at
Variety Mills. The opposing team
was, with the exception of two players, composed of men, yet notwithstanding the odds against them the
boys played a steady, nervy game, and
showed a knowledge of baseball that
would have done credit to veterans.
The game ended with the score 6 to 6.
The features of the game were the
pitching and catching of the Callaway
boys, of the High School, and of White
and Bibb, for Variety Mills.

Thirteen Players Now in Camp. Practice Will Begin This Afternoon.

Guy Titman and "Sandy" Sandherr arrived in town yesterday evening and reported to Manager Lipe at the Lexington Hotel. Both are looking fine, and, like the other players here, they are anxiofs to get down to work.

"Sandy" brought his brace of oilsoaked bats, with which he proposes to show the sluggers of the Virginia circuit some points in smashing the ball this summer. Titman has been doing a great deal of skating and hunting all winter, and he is in excellent physical condition.

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SALE OF A FINE FARM, STOCK, MA-CHINERY, PROVENDER AND STANDING TIMBER.

Pursuant to a decree of the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Virginia, entered on March 16, 1908, in the matter of the East Coast Lumber Corporation, Bankrupt, the undersigned, Emmett Seaton, Trustee, in a certain deed from the South Atlantic Lumber Company, Incorporated, dated May 26, 1906, and John A. Lamband P. H. C. Cabell, Special Masters, appointed by said decree, will proceed to sell at auction, upon the premises, in Luneburg County, Virginia, on

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pitchers-William Savage,

In the Boys' Class team contests last night at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, the Cherokees took the indoor baseball game from the Shawnees in a close and hotly-contested match by the score of 4 to 3. The relay pursuit race, however, went to the Shawnees, as did also the basketball relay race. The Americans and Nationals of the Junior Class will meet this afternoon in their basketball match, followed by the indoor baseball game between the Tigers and Leopards, of the Senior Tigers and Leopards, of the Senior League. The Graded Class and team contests between the Hustlers and In-vincibles will be pulled off to-night.

HARD AT WORK.

McGuire's School Team Expects to Win a Few More This Season.
Coach Towles, of the McGuire's School baseball team, will summon his men together every afternoon on the Byrd Park diamond for a strenuous round of practice in preparation for the game with Woodberry-Forest next Saturday afternoon at Orange. The locals will go up against a fast combination then as the Woodberry nine showed last week by holding the University of Virginia team down to a small score and tallying three runs to five for the varsity.

The McGuire's team will certainly figure in the preparatory school championship of the State if it wins out from the Orange and Black on Saturday, having shown excellent prospects for a winning aggregation so far, and may be counted to make its opponents work hard for every tally.

OFFER BIG PURSE

Chattanooga Capitalists Want the Jefffres-Johnson Match.
CHATTANOOGA. TENN.. March 22.—
Chattanooga enpitalists to-day offered a purse of \$100.000 for an eight-round fight between Jack Johnson, champion heavyweight, and James J. Jeffries, the fight to be pulled off in this city.

Richmond Players Leave.
Rowe Hicks, Jack Anthony and Fitz-natrick, the Richmond boys who have been signed by "Pon" McKevitt. man-ager of the Greenshore Club, in the Carolina League, left yesterday to re-port for practice with the club.

Auction Sales, Juture Days By Richeson & Crutchfield, Roal Estate Agents and Auctioneers, Cor. Eleventh and Bank Streets.

AUCTION SALE

TWO MEDIUM SIZE DWELLINGS (ONE BRICK AND ONE FRAME), 712 and 714 Mosby Street JUST NORTH OF VENABLE AND VACANT LOT IMMEDIATELY IN THE REAR, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 24, 1909, AT 5 O'CLOCK P. M.

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Deep Run Hunt.

The Deep Run Hounds will meet at the kennels, as usual, Wednesday morning at 4:30 o'clock. The course selected is one of the most attractive the club has, and Master W. O. Young expects to have out six complete couples each of American and English bounds.

Much interest was shown in the four-handed three-cushion carom game between Monroe and Williams and Millburn and Ball. The game was won by Millburn and Ball, the score being 25 to 22.

In the tournament meet to-night games will be played by Savage, Hoen, Dowes and Calvin.

Donlin Quits Game.

Mike Donlin, the hard-hitting right fielder of the Giants, has crossed the Rubicon, and will not play this year, if any credence is to be put in the reports that came from Boston last week. A man may not be put in the perhans for the control of the control

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